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Mr. President

While appreciate the recommendation of the outcome report , our organization is concerned by reports of the harsh and insanitary conditions in which a number of people are held under detention in Comoros.

The impact of climate change on Comoros resources is going to effect badly on the human rights viz-viz life, health, food and water. It will also effect the adequate standard of living and a healthy environment.

We appreciate that the Comoros has ratified the additional instruments, including the ICESCR, ICCPR and CAT

We appreciate the Comoros for its efforts to improve the situation of children and appreciated the reduction of the infant mortality rate and the fight against poverty in this regard but at the same time we recommended Comoros modify its legislation to eliminate corporal punishment.

We seek the attention towards the State delegation that acknowledges the low participation of women in governmental institutions and the high level of the domestic and other violence women encounter, and regretted that women rarely seek justice for these violations.

We recommend ,

- abolition of the death penalty
- prohibition of corporal punishment

- effective protection of journalists against intimidation
- ensure and protect freedom of religion
- protect human right defenders